-----THE GAZETTE.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, FEBRUARY 10, 1-58

THE BURR DUEL. A NEW VERSION, BY JAMES PARTON.

On the morning of the duel it chanced that one of Burr's consins arrived to town from Connecticut, and made his way, about eight o'clock, to Richmond Hill. Alexis, the factotum of the establishment, obeyed his summons at the door, and showed him into the library, where he found Colonel Burr, alone, and engaged in his usual avocations. Burr received his young relative with cordiality, and, in every respect, as usual. Neither in his manner nor in his conversation was there any evidence of excitement or concern, nor anything whatever to attract the attention of not a soul at Richmond Hill yet knew aught | May next. of that morning's work; nor, indeed, could it be said, in any sense of the word, that the master himself knew what he had done.

In a few minutes breakfast was announced, and the two gentlemen went to the diningroom and breakfasted together. The conversation was still quite in the ordinary strain, Burr inquiring after friends in the country, and the youth giving the information sought. After breakfast, the guest bade his host good morning, and strolled off toward the city, which he reached about ten o'clock. As he walked down Broadway he fancied he observed in passers by the signs that something extraordinary had occurred or was expected. Near Wall street. an acquaintance rushed up to him, breathless, and said:

"Col. Burr has killed Gen. Hamilton in a duel this morning."
"Why, no be hasn't," replied the young

gentleman, with the utmost positiveness, "I have just come from there and taken breakfast with him." "But," replied the other, "I have this mo-

ment seen the news on the Bulletin." The con-in reflected a moment on the absolute screnity of Burr's manner, and concluding that he would certainly have mentioned so interesting an occurrence if it had taken place, was still utterly incredulous, and denouncing the report as false, went on his at the ensuing municipal election, for Superinway. Before turning into Wall street, he tendent of Gas by found the whole city astir; and soon had reason to suspect that the bulletin was only too true. So completely could Burr command his features and conceal his feelings.

There was one remarkable occasion on which Burr spoke of the duel seriously and eloquently. It was when, for the only time in his life, he re visited the ground where it was fought. He went there to oblige a young friend, who wished to see a spot so famous. Leaving their boat at the foot of the heights of Weehawken, just where Burr had left his boat on that fatal morning, a quarter of a century before, they climbed over the same rocks, and soon reached the ground .--Except that the rocks were covered with ported for the office of Superintendent of Police. names, and that the ground was more overgrown with trees, the place had not changed in all those years; nor has it yet. It had changed owners, however, and belonged to a son of Rufus King, Burr's colleague in the Senate, and Hamilton's friend and ally. In the boat, Burr had been somewhat thoughtful and silent, but seemed to enjoy the bright day and pleasant shore, as he always enjoyed bright and pleasant things. On reaching the scene, he placed his companion on the spot where Hamilton had stood, fice of Superintendent of Police. and went to the place where he had stood himself, and proceeded to narrate the inci-

deuts of the occasion.

The conversation turned to the cause of the duel. As he talked, the old fire seemed to be rekindled within him; his eyes blazed; logue of wrongs he had received from Hamil-logue of wrongs he had received from Hamil-oppressed tax paying community. borne, and forgiven and forgiven, and even stooped to remonstrate-until he had no choice except to slink out of sight, a wretch degraded and despised, or meet the calumniator on the field and silence him. He dwelt much on the meanness of Hamilton. He charged him with being malevolent and cow ardly-a man who would slander a rival, and not stand to it unless he was cornered. "When he stood up to fire," said Burr, "he caught my eye and quailed under it; he true, he continued, that Hamilton did not fire at him; Hamilton fired first; he heard the ball whistle among the branches, and before the duel with infinite contempt. "It reads," said he, "like the confessions of a penitent monk. These isolated expressions, my informant says, convey no idea whatever of the fiery impressiveness with which he spoke. He justified all he had done; nay,

applauded it. He was moved to the depths of his soul; the pent up feelings of twenty-five years burst and Bark, subject to the decision of the Ameriinto speech. His companion, who had known him intimately many years, and had never seen him roused before, was almost awe-struck at this strange outburst of emo- surer of Wood and Bark. tion, and the startling force of many of his expressions. He remembers wondering that that he should ever have thought Burr small of stature, for, during this scene, the loftiness seemedtoriseand expand. It was long before he regained his usual composure. All the himself to the voters of the city of Alexandria. way home he spoke of the oiden time, and seemed to renew his youth, and live over again his former life."

A few years after, when he lay sick with paralysis, and near death, he said, after reading Sterne's "Tristram Shandy," "If I had read Sterne more, and Voltaire less, I should have known that the world was wide enough for Hamilton and me.'

AMERICAN MEETING .- The members of the American party, and others, Department. His known experience as a Firetriendly to their principles, are respectfully invited to meet in Convention, at the American him for so important a situation, and will en-Hall, on Tuesday, 16th instant, at 7½ o'clock, to sure the supper; of MANY VOTERS. nominate municipal officers.

feb 3—dtd THE COMMITTEE.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Alexandria Library Company, will gineer of the Fire Department, and will be supders of the Alexandria Library Company, will be neld in the Library Room of said Company, ported at the coming election, by parted at the coming election, by parted at the coming election, by parted at the coming election. on Monday, the 22d day of February, 1858,-All persons wishing to become Stockholders or

subscribers, are hereby solicited to attend. NORVAL E. FOARD, Librarian

AND ALEXANDRIA.—Persons desirous that office. It is unnecessary to comment in relation to his capacity, for he is generally known undersigned, will please apply to Messrs. WALL, in this community as a practical man, and one STEPRENS & Co., who have been appointed this who should command the vote of each and every day, as our only agents in the District and Alexdria. [jan 11-1m] J. M. SINGER & CO.

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CANDIDATES.

FF JAMES SANGSTER will be supported for the office of Sheriff for this County, at the coming election, by [dec 5] MANY VOTERS. TO THE VOTERS OF ALEXANDRIA CITY AND County -1 offer myself as a candidate for the office of Sheriff, at the ensuing May election,

and most respectfully solicit your support. dec 11-eote H. L. MONROE. ILF REWARD MERIT .- MAJOR GEORGE DUFFEY, (the present incumbent,) Commissioner

of Revenue, is respectfully presented to the voters of Alexandria County, for re-election. The faithful and impartial manner in which he discharged his duty, will recommend him to NO WOOLING the entire people. jan 23-eott

IT To the Voters of Alexandria County -1 offer myseli as a candidate for the office of Comhis guest. Except the master of the house, missioner of the Revenue, at the election in P. C. CLAUGHTON.

> TIF HENRY L. SIMPSON, will be supported as a candidate for Commissioner of the Revenue, by a NUMBER OF FRIENDS. jen 22-te

I hereby offer myself as an Independent candidate for the Clerkship of the Circuit Court, trusting, by attention and energy, should I be elected, to faithfully perform the duties of EDW. B. POWELL.

Les I aunounce myself a candidate for re-election to the office of Superintendent of Gas, and trust that it will be the pleasure of my tel- | 1 prize of low-citizens to give me their support. Since I have held the office. I have endeavored to make myself familiar with its duties, and to discharge them faithfully and efficiently; and, if re-elected. I can only promise to the public all the diligence and fidelity of which I am capable, and to consumers all the attention and accommodation that could be asked of me consistently with my duty to the Public. JACOB ROXBURY.

Having been solicited by a number of my irrends to run for the office of Superintendent of Gas, I have consented to do so, and respectfully ask my fellow citizens to give me a tavorable consideration. JOS. S. STANSBURY. feb 2-tE

JOSEPH F. SMITH will be supported

jan 29-tE As there seems to be a free fight going on for the office of Superintendent of Police, we offer the name of WILLIAM MANKIN for that office. It the good citizens of Alexandria are desirous of having the duties of the office faith!u'ly discharged, they will join in the recommendation of MANY VOTERS. jan 25-eotE

TO THE VOTERS OF ALEXANDRIA .- WM. H. DEVAUGHAN announces homselt, as a candidate for the office of Superintendent of Police, subject to the nomination of the American Conjan 18-eotE.

Bey Capt. Joseph C. Moore will be sup-MANY VOTERS. JOHN CRAVEN will be supported for

the office of Superintendent of Police, by MANY VOTERS. BEF RICHARD W. ROBINSON will be sup-

ported at the next election, as an independent candidate, for the office of Superintendent of Police, by [dec 23-tE] MANY VOTERS. Bey Through the solicitation of many

friends. I offer myself as a candidate for the ot-THOMAS WARING.

TO THE CITIZENS OF ALEXANDRIA .- I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Superintendent of Police. Should it please the public to elect me, I promise to give my individual attention to my duty, and as far his voice rose. He recounted the long cata- as possible, satisfy the just demands of an already

> RICHARD SORRILL, at the suggestion of many friends, has consented to be a candidate for Superintendent of Police, at the ensuing election.

GEORGE R. BLACKLOCK will be supported for the office of Collector of the Southern District at the ensuing Spring election, by many friends, at the urgent solicitation of a number of whom he has consented that his name should be brought before the public. If elected, he looked like a convicted felon." It was not pledges himself to discharge faithfully, and to the best of his ability, all the duties of th VOX POPULI

Bee At the request of many triends, I saw the severed twig above his head. He offer myself as a candidate for the office of City spoke of what Hamilton wrote on the evening | Surveyor, and solicit the votes of the citizens of Alexandria, irrespective of party. ROBERT SULLY.

Ass. Joseph Broders will be supported at the coming election, for the office of City Surveyor, by [jan 1-tE] MANY VOTERS.

WM. C. REYNOLDS respectfully offers himself for re-election as Measurer of Wood

At the solicitation of many friends, I offer myself as a candidate for the office of Mea-

teb 2-tE THOS. B. CREIGHTON. JOSEPH T. SHERWOOD, will be suppor-

ted at the coming election, as a candidate for Assessor, by [ian 29-tE] MANY FRIENDS.

teb 1-tE FOR CHIEF ENGINEER -The office of

one in our estimation, which should be filled by an experienced Fireman, we respectfully offer Mr. HIBAM WEBSTER, as one fully competent. MANY VOTERS. jan 26-tE

Catt. WM W. Rock will be a candidate for the office of Chief Engineer of the Fire man, and practical knowledge, well qualifies jan 27—tÉ

Our esteemed fellow-sitizen J. T. Aud-LEY, is recommended for the office of Chief En-

jan 27-tE As the time is fast approaching when it will be necessary to select competent men to fill the office of Lumber Inspector, we most respectfully offer to your kind consideration, the TTO THE CITIZENS OF WASHINGTON name of John Greenwood, as a candidate for

I respectfully announce myself a

candidate, for the office of Inspector of Lumber. J. T. HILL feb 8-tE T) EMOVAL .- The office of the Albemarle

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20 " Cavendish Tobacco, low priced just received, and for sale by
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IQUORS .- 150 bbls Rectified Whiskey 75 bbls. Old Rye Whiskey
25 "Cincinnati pure Rye Whiskey New England Rum

Apple Brandy " Domestic Brandy " Gin; 10 do Bourbon Whiskey

2 pipes Holland Gin 2 do. Jamaica Spirits, (old.) 10 barrels Peach Brandy: 50 1 casks Cherry Brandy: 10 bbls. attention of the trade is invited. F. A. MARBURY.

400 bbls. Extra and Family Flour 100 " Super Flour 2000 Des Bacon, hog round 8 bbls, Roll Butter, 20 firkins Butter 20 firkins Lard, 800 dozen Eggs, in store and for sale by S. HARTLEY & SON.

MSH .- 50 bbls No. 3 Mackerel 11 half bbls. No. 3, large, do 112 bbls, Round Herrings 2(a) " Cut

65 " Gross 200 " Alewives 5 " Trout 7 boxes Hake 5 hall boxes Hake, daily expected, and for sale by [nov 11] FOWLE & CO.

NRESH SUPPLY .-5 hhds Muscovado

25 bags prime Rio Coffee

10 boxes Cavendish Tobacco, just received, and for sale by MCVEIGH & CHAMBERLAIN. Prince-street Wharf ▼ ARRIS'S TOBACCO.—The undersigned

have just received a lot of very choice TOBACCO, consisting in part of the following brands, and to which they call the attention of 24 kegs "Luxury of the People"

24 Caddy boxes "People's Favourite," \(\frac{1}{2} \) boxes "People's Favourite," \(\frac{1}{2} \) boxes "Game Cock"

nov 30—3m KNOX & BRO AVING purchased the entire interest of JAMES ROACH, in the late firm of ASHINGTON & CO. I will continue the GROCERY, LIQUOR and COMMISSION BU SINESS, at the old stand, No. 11, North Union street, under the name and style of WASHING. TON & CO. I return my thanks for the liberal patronage extended to the late firm, and respectfully solicit a continuance of the same.

GEO, WASHINGTON. W E. are new receiving the following Ll-QUORS, which we offer for sale low, viz. 25 bils. Rectified Whiskey 18 " Pure Old Monongahela

20 cases "Old Wheat Whiskey" 25 baskets Champagne Wine. Together with Wines, Brandies, Gin, &c., of all qualities, nov 16 POWELL & CO.

S. GWIN & SON, GENERAL COM-MISSION, GROCERS AND FORWARD. ING MERCHANTS will devote strict attention to the sale of FLOUR. WHEAT, CORN, and all kinds of Country Produce-to the purchase of Guano, Plaster, &c., and to every thing pertain-Alexandria, Va. aug 14-tf

HAY -88 bales of Timothy HAY, in store, and wristbands. Also, Gentlemen's GAITERS—tor sale by GRAY, MILLER & CO.,

[hb5] - Z ENGLISH & BRO. y, 12½c.
Leslie's Fashion Book and Magazine for Feb. A and for sale by
C. F. SUTTLE & CO.

> 4()() TONS WINDSOR BLUE PLAS-TER, for sale in lots to suit purcha-HILL BROWN & PARTLOW.

BUSHELS OF PRIME CLOVER SEED, just received, and for sale by D. S. GWIN & SON. WOOL PURCHASED at highest cash

prices, by
in 8 HILL, BROWN & PARTLOW. AMILY FLOUR - Jonathan Ewer's celebrated Family Flour, for sale by C. F. SUTTLE & CO. 2.500 LBS. MOUNTAIN BACON, for sale by

HILL, BROWN & PARTLOW. 1000 LBS COUNTRY BACON, just jan 25 PERRY, PENNYBACKER & CO. OTOMAC HERRING AND SHAD, a few barrels, for sale by D. S. GWIN & SON.

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just received, and for sale by jan 25 PERRY PENNYBACKER & CO. DOCKINGHAM FAMILY FLOUR, for patronage. N sale by [feb 2] D S GWIN & SON.

for sale by [jan 30] DAN'L. F. HOOE.

CLOTHING.

WILLIAM D. MASSEY, MERCHANT TAI-LOR, would respectfully call the attention of the public, to his stock of GOODS, suitmarket prices. In store, and for sale, 400 bbls. able for Gentlemen's wear, consisting of Black Blue, Brewn, and Olive FRENCH CLOTHS. bs. Country BACON, Hog round; Roll and Fir- Queercord and Tricot do; French, English, and Scotch CASSIMERES, of every shade and style; Velvet, Silk, Satin, Cashmere, and Embroidered VEST PATTERNS, of the latest style and best material; also, READY-MADE CLOTHING, ASD FURNISHING GOODS, such as Frock, Dress, Business, Over, and Ragian COATS; Plain and Fancy Cassimere PANTALOONS. Velvet, Cashmere, Cloth, Satin, Silk, and Varona VESTS; fine Dress Shirts and Collars; Undershirts and Drawers; Silk and Linen Cambric Handkerchiefs; Gloves; Cravats; Suspenders, and Half Hose, with many other articles which must be seen to be appreciated. All articles of dress made to order, and warranted to give satisfaction. Thankful for the patronage heretofore received, a continuance of the same is soli-D. & S. BLACKLOCK, GROCERS AND cited, with the assurance that no effort shall be commission MERCHANTS, Black-spared to please. No. 92, south side of King out S-ti

> RAND OPENING OF GENTLEMEN'S T FURNISHING GOODS.—The subscriber takes pleasure in informing his friends and the public generally, that he has received, and is now opening his Fall and Winter stock of CLOTHS, CASSIMERES, VELVET AND SILK VESTINGS; also, a general and varied assortment of GENTLEMEN'S FURNISH-ING GOODS, all of which have been purchased upon the best terms. As I am determined to keep a stock of first class goods, I invite gentlemen to call and examine before they make their purchases, as I am sure I can please both as to price and style. I name in part, Cloths, all shades, Black and Fancy Cassimeres, Velvet Vesting, of the latest styles; Black and Fancy Silk do.; Merino Shirts and Drawers; Silk do. latest style; Neck Ties and Scarfs; new style Byron Collars; Dress Shirts, of very superior quality; Fancy do.; English Gaiters; Suspenders; plain and fancy Socks Gloves, every variety; together with many other articles not necessary to name in this list GARMENTS made up in best style and warranted. A. S. ROBINSON, Merchant Tailor,

No. 102 King-st., oppo. Exchange Block.

THE VERY LATEST, AND HIGHLY IM-PORTANT.—The public of this city, and country asjoining, will be pleased at the new progress of the well-known and long established CLOTHING HOUSE of SCHOOLHERR & BRO. They not being contented with the Goods and Styles that have been furnished as heretofore, have introduced in their new and just arrived GOODS, the very latest styles and materials of foreign Goods. It will be really gratitying to their numerous customers and trade generally, to have such a market at the door, Blackberry Brandy; 10 do. Ginger Brandy; 20 where they can have the privilege of purchasdo Peppermint and Cinnamon Cordials, with ling a suit of Clothes of every style the country, Stout, Ale, Porter, Demijonns, &c., to which the mind, and purse can furnish. One of the firm being constantly on hand attending to the wishes of the purchasers, while the other of the same No. 14, Fowle's Wharf. hirm pays his whole attention to the buying and HOUR, BACON, LARD, AND BUTTER. manufacturing of the goods in the city of New York. The goods imported and bought by this factured by the very best workmen the world can produce, and adapted to suit ever consumer.

It is unnecessary to say any more about this establishment, their intention is to please their customers. Their stock of GENTLEMEN'S FURNISHING GOODS is complete in all its branches. Thankful for past patronage, they invite one and all to give them a call at their Old Stand, No. 108 King street, Three doors below the Marshall House, Alexandria, Va. SCHOOLHERR & BRO.

W' M. ARNOLD- MERCHANT TAILOR, has just opened a fine assortment of GOODS, in his line, embracing some of the finest fabrics, and of the latest styles, to which he would respectfully call the attention of his customers and the public. His present stock which, as usual, he offers for sale at fair living comprises CLOTHS, and CASSIMERES, of prices. His stock consists in part of the followers 10 hhds, new crop New Orleans Sugar
5 " nandsome Porto Rico do cluding some of very superior patterns.)—
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18 hds new crop Ne &c., which he will sell on the most reasonable terms. The very liberal patronage he has received, induces him to return his thanks to his old friends, and to assure them that he is determined to use every facility in his power, to sustain the reputation he has acquired, of keeping a first class Merchant Tailoring Establi-hment. He is still at the old stand, No. 67, King street.

W & A. MURRAY, MERCHANT TAIL LORS, are now receiving their Fall and Winter supply of CLOTHS, CASSIMERES, and VESTINGS, of all the various shades and styles. Furnishing Goods -Shirts-Silk. Merino, Linen, and Cotton; Drawers-Silk, Merino, Jean, and Cotton Flannel; Gloves of various kinds; Suspenders; Cravats; Collars, and Ties of all kinds, and many other articles usually kept by them, and will be sold as cheap as the same quality of Goods can be had in any other city. No. 103 King street. sep 15

day associated themselves together, for the purpose of conducting the business of MERCHANT ROBINSON & KEYS,

Thankful for past layors, they hope by unremitting attention to business, to merit a

continuation of the same. All orders in their line of business will be thankfully received, and promptly attended to. All persons indekted to either of them, will please call and settle the same BICHARD W. ROBINSON,

mh 18--tf JOHN A. KEYS. SUPERIOR BLACK CLOTH FROCK COATS, worth twenty dollars, for fifteen

Superior BLACK CLOTH FROCK COATS. ing to our line of business. No. 6 Union street.

Alexandria, Va. aug 14—tf Superson than the street worth twenty five dollars, for twenty dollars.

Fine WHITE SHIRTS, with Marseilles bo

corner of King and Water-sts AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, &c. JUST RECEIVED, 200 sacks of Ashton's SALT, and will be receiving on to morrow another sopply of Groceries, which will be sold ears from only one grain p anted. The yield of todder is also said to be in mease. For fur her DAMANTINE CANDLES, just received particulars we would refer to advertisement in of the Corn. with certificates of those who ANILY FLOUR - 50 bbls. Jonathan Kill be maded gratis, to all that request it have cultivated it, and notices from the press Ewers' Family Flour, a very superior article, for sale by C. F. SUTTLE & CO.

Price \$1 50 per quart, for sale in lots to suit purchasets, by ADDISON, WALLACE & CO. N. B. On hand and for sole, a supply of the "CHINESE" SUGAR CANE SEED, warranted genus e-the Seed of which was obtained from the Patent Office last year. jan 7

> respect. No. 2 Mill warrant to grind ten bushels of feed per hour with one horse. No. 3 Mill will grand fitteen bushels, and No. 4 twenty bushels per hour, with two horses, for sale le v by dec 22 Al DISON, WALLACE & CO.

DRAYTON G. MEADE.

(1) CORN SHELLERS, various patterns on hand, and for sale by dec 5 ADDISON, WALLACE & CO. 50 BUSHELS PRIME CLOVER SEED, stand, where he is prepared to sell Whole and Retail. For it No Str Rice street dec 5 ADDISON, WALLACE & CO.

HICKORY, OAK, AND PINE WOOD FOR SALE.—SAMUEL BEACH & SON are now engaged in running their own WOOD to ARD, BUTTER, AND DRIED APPLES. market, consisting of the above named kinds. which they offer for sale, (at their Wood Yard, on St. Asaph street, opposite the Jail, or at the Fish Wnart, where landed.) to their customers TO. 1 POTOMAC HERRINGS, for sale by and others, cheap for cash; and as they intend [feb 3] ROBINSON & PAYNE. to sell for small profits, ask a share of SAMUEL BEACH sep 17-tf JOHN S. BEACH.

CLOVER SEED.—Clover Seed, in store, and WOOL purchased by WHEAT & BRO.

FIRE INSURANCE NOTICES, &c. SOUTHERN PROTECTION INSURANCE COMPANY, ALEXANDRIA VA-CAPITAL OVER \$250,000,

The charter of this Company offers more vorable advantages to the farmer and other than any other company chartered in the Statby insuring with or without a premium note. It the applicant prefer, he can pay the full amount of the premium in cash, or by effecting a cash insurance for two years, the insured saves on eighth of the amount he would otherwise has to pay: or by becoming a member, and giving a small premium note, the insured saves near one half of the amount charged by Stock Comna nies, when insuring from year to year. This the advantage resulting from the combination THE CASH AND MUTUAL PRINCIPLE

This company commenced issuing Police against loss or damage by fire, on the little March, 1854, since which time over five than sand seven hundred persons have insured and he come members of the Company, and over this year, we feel grateful for the liberal patrollage bestowed upon the Company thus far, and for it, flattering prospects of future usefulness. The Directors hope and believe that by pradence caution and a rigid system of economy, they will establish for this Company a reputation for cheapness and safety, not surpassed by an Company in the U. States.

All differences in settlement of losses, may determined by three disinterested arbitrators of the County where such loss happened to be an tually chosen by the insured and the Compani

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ALEXANDRIA, continues to insure again-Fire, generally, in Town and Country as here tofore, on the most reasonable terms. BOARD OF DIRECTORS ANTHONY P. GOVER, President am Gregory, Edward S. Hough William Gregory, James P. Smith Robert Jamieson Robert G. Violett. Thomas R. Keith. William H. Fowle, Thomas McCormick

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Jno. B. Daingerfield, Office hours from 9 to 14, and from 24 to 14 C. W. WATTLES, Secretary Office on King street, near St. Asaph. nov 10-d1v THE POTOMAC INSURANCE COMP. NY OF ALEXANDRIA.—No. 11, said

Fairfax street, next door to J. Leadbeater's Dec

Store-where they will be pleased to recoffers for either Fire or Marine Insurance, President-Samuel Miller. DIRECTORS. Wm. N. McVeigh, Robert S. Ashby Lewis McKenzie, Nathaniel Boush Benjamin Batter Cassius F. Lee.

ROBERT JAMIESON, Ja. BOOTS AND SHOES. THE CASH SYSTEM ADOPTED -TO subscriber, after having tested the cresystem to his heart's content, has come to conclusion that the Cash System is the best, be for the buyer and seller, and, from the prese date, shall do business upon the above pro-ple, and would respectfully call the attention his friends of the town and country to his to

extensive stock of BOOTS and SHOES, sur-

ble to the present and approaching season

Slippers, Ladies Gaiters

Misses and Children's Boots and Shoes Gentlemen's Calf, Kipp, and Buff Boots " and Kipp Boots Shines " and " Boots

" Shoes Men's thick Boots and Brogans, No. 1, for fair ing and similar purposes, and in short, every a ticle usually found in a well-stocked Boot in a Shoe Establishment. HENRY L. SIMPSON jy 14-tf Royal street, near has

A LEXANDRIA, VA., JANUARY 18T, 1857ciated with him in business, JOHN W 116E3 BEEL and HENRY C. FIELD, for the put pose of carrying on a GENERAL SHOE BUS NESS, AT NO. 74, KING STREET, ALEXANDRIA VA under the firm name and style of CEOS LUGENBEEL & CO., where the public get rally are invited to call and examine their la and well-selected Stock of BOOTS, SHOES & (**OPARTNERSHIP.—RICHARD W. ROB-INSON and JOHN A. KEYS, have this total customers, as low as they can be be (quality considered) in this or any other car

> WORK, both as to material and workmans: and warranted to please. A call is respective solicited at the SHOE STORE of jan 7 CROSS, LUGENBEEL & CO TITHE CASH SYSTEM ADOPTED .- The subscribe I naving tried the credit system, and test that it will not pay, has concluded to adopt to CASH principle. In future and from this

he will continue to do business upon the about

Particular attention paid to CUSTO

principle. In bidding adieu to the old state he would return his thanks to his customers? past favors, and hopes by strict attention at such inducements as he may offer, to continue an 1-tf HATS, CAPS, BONNETS, &c.

O. 79-PHENIX HALL, HAT AND CAP ESTABLISHMENT - JOHN AND NOLD having removed to his new state in the above building, would solicit a call from the state of the st public to examine his selection of the most fect articles of the London. Paris, and York Fall styles, composing the greatest value o' HATS AND CAPS over offered in this # ket-remember also that this stock being the from the manufactories can be sold as cheain any retail establishment North. Attents particularly invited to ARNOLD'S Mil STYLE OF PATENT MOLESKIN ELAST HATS, which comprise every variety of 2 ture and elegance, and have only to be seen

be appreciated.

In regard to the head gear for young met. SLOUCH HAT is offered, which cannot be " passed, and a sight of is sure conviction. The most beautiful assortment of CORN AND COB MILLS.—The Little Giant DREN'S AND INFANT'S FANCY HATS a CAPS. But the greatest curiosity is the CAPS. But the greatest curiosity is the markable cheapness of all articles sold by

FALL STYLES-HATS, BONNETS I BONS, &c - J T. EVANS has J ceived and opened, a splendid assort 2()() BUSHFLS FRESH ORCHARD GOODS in the above line embracing BOAN of the finest fabrics and of the latest Pair styles. He has also a splendid stock No. 12 Fairfax street. BONS, RUCHES, ARTIFICIAL FLOW! and indeed every thing pertaining to his ness, which he offers on the very best term fine assortment of gentleman's SOFT

> TOHN T. EVANS has just received and ed this day, from New York, a large and

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DRAFTS ON ST. LOUIS.—Parties William to remit to Missouri, Illinois, lowa, W consin, or Kansas, can be supplied with di on St. Louis, which can be cashed in most je of the interior of the States named above R, H. MILLER

ment of LADIES' FURS, which will be low to suit the times. Call and examine.